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# STATE OF TENNESSEE Department of General Services, Central Procurement Office

# REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS # 32110-18110 AMENDMENT # 3 FOR STATEWIDE MULTIFUNCTION DEVICES, SCANNERS & SERVICES

DATE: November 2, 2018

### RFP # 32110-18110 IS AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. This RFP Schedule of Events updates and confirms scheduled RFP dates. Any event, time, or date containing revised or new text is highlighted.

EVENT	TIME (central time zone)	DATE
1. RFP Issued		September 20, 2018
2. Disability Accommodation Request Deadline	2:00 p.m.	September 25, 2018
3. Pre-response Conference	10:00 a.m.	September 27, 2018
4. Notice of Intent to Respond Deadline	2:00 p.m.	September 28, 2018
5. Written "Questions & Comments" Deadline	2:00 p.m.	October 3, 2018
State Response to Written "Questions & Comments"		November 2, 2018
7. Round 2: Written "Questions & Comments" Deadline	2:00 p.m.	November 7, 2018
Round 2: State Response to Written "Questions & Comments"		November 27, 2018
9. White Papers Submission Deadline	2:00 p.m.	November 30, 2018
10. Response Deadline	2:00 p.m.	December 13, 2018
11. State Completion of Technical Response Evaluations		January 14, 2019
12. State Schedules Respondent Oral Presentation		January 16, 2019
13. Respondent Oral Presentation		January 24 - 25, 2019
14. State Opening & Scoring of Cost Proposals	2:00 p.m.	January 28, 2019

15. Negotiations (Optional)		January 29 – February 12, 2019
State Notice of Intent to Award Released <u>and</u> RFP Files Opened for Public Inspection	2:00 p.m.	February 14, 2019
17. End of Open File Period		February 22, 2019
18. State sends contract to Contractor for signature		February 25, 2019
19. Contractor Signature Deadline	2:00 p.m.	March 4, 2019

## 2. State responses to questions and comments in the table below amend and clarify this RFP.

Any restatement of RFP text in the Question/Comment column shall  $\underline{\mathsf{NOT}}$  be construed as a change in the actual wording of the RFP document.

Question	Question/Comment		
#	Location	Question/Comment	State's Response
			The State reserves the right to conduct multiple rounds of negotiation or no negotiations at all if deemed to be in the best interest of the State. No material changes will be
			made to the contract and
1	RFP- Section 5.2.3.2	Will the State negotiate terms and conditions as part of the final contract with winning vendor?	any negotiation rounds will apply to cost only.
2	RFP- Section 1.1	Based upon discussions and meetings held prior to the RFP release, it was determined that the State is currently being billed for a very high percentage more clicks than it is using. Is it in the State's best interest and its intent to end those contracts as soon as possible and move to the new model of paying only for the clicks actually used?	Authorized Users will have the option to complete their 60 month term with the current Supplier or exercise its options to terminate the rental and switch to the new contract.
3	RFP- Section 1.1	Please clarify if the State intends to award a contract to a single vendor or multiple vendors (how many).	The State reserves the right to award Category I and Category II under separate contracts if it is in the State's best interest.
4	DED Costion 4.4	Will this he a single award or a multiple sward?	The State reserves the right to award Category I and Category II under separate contracts if it is in
4	RFP- Section 1.1	Will this be a single award or a multiple award?	the State's best interest.

7	Schedule of Events	With the State's anticipated date of Oct. 26th to provide answers to vendor questions and the Response Deadline of Nov. 12 only provides two weeks to complete the Response, will the State extend the Response Deadline?	The Response Deadline has been changed to December 13, 2018. Yes, the State has revised
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6	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	Please define the data base platform you are using to organize and integrate the scan documents outlined in the Workflow Description.	Please see the updated questions (C1.16 and C2.15) in RFP Attachment 6.2. Secondly, Attachment 6.10 is an example workflow scenario. Please respond to Question C1.16 and C1.17 and/or C2.15 and C2.16 in a way that addresses the key points and state any assumptions that you have built into your response to the workflow solution
5	RFP- Section 3.3.1.	RFP states that the bid response must not include alternate contract terms and conditions. How does a respondent identify requirements that they cannot comply with exactly as they are stated?	The "Questions & Comments" period is Respondents' opportunity to present any issues, and concerns they may have with any of the solicitation documents that may prohibit them from responding and/or alternative language it would like the State to take into consideration. Please refer to the revised Schedule of Events to view Respondent's second opportunity to submit Questions and Comments to the State. No material changes will be made to the contract and any negotiation rounds will apply to cost only. The State will not accept any redlines or alternative language after Contract award.

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10	RFP- C1.6. and C2.6.	In the "Disaster Recovery Plan," please clarify if referring to disaster to the State or the Respondent or if "Acts of God?"	The Disaster Recovery Plan should address the Contractor's plan in the event of a disaster that impacts their ability to perform the scope of services provided under the contract.
			One example could involve the State asking the Contractor to provide information on the amount of use for a particular model offered under the contract by Authorized Users to the reduction of equipment to reflect saving after the implementation of
11	RFP- C1.9.	Can the State please clarify how diverse these "ad hoc" reports may be?	an Authorized User's Right Sizing assessment.
	М Г - ОТ.Э.	The concept of auto replenishment of supplies has historically met with more negatives than positives in that supplies are either sent too frequently or too late as no one knows supply needs better than key operator. Would the State	The State will not amend
12	RFP- C1.12.	consider removing this from the RFP?	this requirement at this time.
13	RFP- CI.13.	Please clarify the meaning of "more open hours."	"More open hours" is referring to the normal working hours (8:00am to 4:30pm CT, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays) for which maintenance may be performed. More open hours would be anything beyond this timeframe.
14	RFP- C1.22. and C2.21.	In the event that the Vendor responds to both Categories I & II, does the State request two separate sets of references or is one set sufficient?	Respondents are asked to separate their references for Categories I and II. Respondents may use the same references for Categories I and II or may use different references for Categories I and II.
15	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	With respect to attachment 6.10, the second paragraph states the server be able to use an API that can securely transmit to a desired database. Please describe the application and the database that the solution should communicate with?  a. Please describe the database operating system(s) (ie.: Oracle, SQL, IBM DB2, etc.)?	The API will be dependent on the document management solution. For further information, please refer to the answer to question #6.

			Badge login is not utilized
		In the document 6.10, it is mentioned that the	on the State's current contract. Attachment 6.10. is an example scenario
16	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	RFP would like to include for the ability to log into the MFD or Scanner using a badge. What type(s) of badge does the State of Tennessee use currently (HID, CAC, Magstripe, etc.)?	Respondents are asked to respond. The State will provide this information to the awarded Contractor.
10	Workhow Description	Within the attachment 6.10, it is stated that the	the awarded Contractor.
		solution should be able to scan a coversheet and the documents that are associated. Please	
		provide details to what information the coversheet will need to include?	
		<ul><li>a. Does the coversheet information change from document to document?</li><li>i. If so, how many different document types are there within your environment?</li><li>b. Does the coversheet information change from</li></ul>	Yes, the coversheet would change (i.e., there is no standard coversheet), but it would be agency specific. As such, the State does not
	Attachment 6.10	department to department? i. If so, how many different departments will	have sufficient information to answer your questions
17	Workflow Description	require this functionality?	related to coversheets.
18	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	Attachment 6.10 states that the provided solution be able to integrate with your existing document storage project based on a SaaS platform. Please provide the following details on the solution:  a. The name of the application?  b. Database operating system?  c. Number of users?  i. Are they named or concurrent  ii. Are any of the users Read Only?  iii. How are the users saving documents to this system currently (please provide details)?	Please refer to the answer to question #6.
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		Attachment 6.10 states that the provided solution be able to integrate with your existing document storage project based on a SaaS platform. Please provide the following details on the solution:  a. The name of the application?  b. Database operating system?  c. Number of users?  i. Are they named or concurrent  ii. Are any of the users Read Only?	
19	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	iii. How are the users saving documents to this system currently (please provide details)?	Please refer to the answer to question #6.

20	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	In Attachment 6.10, it is stated that the solution will reside on premise using the State of Tennessee's Data Center. Please provide details on this environment:  a. Are the servers physical or virtual?  i. If Physical, please provide details on the operating systems that they operate on? (Please provide all details)  ii. If virtual, please provide details on the platform that they run on (Hyper V, VMware, other)?  b. Do you have a Disaster Recovery plan and if so, please provide details?  c. What is the bandwidth between each location (please provide details on the broadband connections as well)?	The State has both virtual and physical servers. The remainder of the answer to your question will be shared with the awarded Contractor. For further information, please refer to the answer to question #6.
21	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	With respect to your network, are all users on the same domain or are multiple domains present within your environment?  a. If there are multiple domains, are there Trusts between them?	State Authorized Users are on the same domain. Please refer to the answer to question #6.
22	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	How many print servers do you have currently in the environment? (please provide details)	At the State level, no existing printer servers are applicable to this contract. There may be applicable print servers at the agency level. This information will be gathered and shared with the awarded Contractor. For further information, please refer to the answer to question #6.
23	Attachment 6.2 C1.18.	In item reference C1.18, Can you clarify the need stated? Will this be for both Scanning and secure print?	Item C1.18 asks the Respondent to outline its ability to integrate workflow solutions for MFDs currently in the State's fleet. Item C2.17 asks the same question but for the scanners currently in the State's fleet.

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			Please refer to Section 3.6.
			of the RFP which states, "If
			a response offers goods or
			services in addition to
			those required by and
			described in this RFP, the
			State, at its sole discretion,
			may add such services to
			the contract awarded as a
			result of this RFP.
			Notwithstanding the
			foregoing, a Respondent
			must not propose any
			additional cost amounts or
			rates for additional goods
			or services. Regardless of
			any additional services
			offered in a response, the
			Respondent's Cost
			Proposal must only record
			the proposed cost as
			required in this RFP and
		Can we bid optional accessories outside of the	must not record any other
		required options by the state If so; can they be	rates, amounts, or
24	RFP- Section 3.6	included as a separate attachment?	information."
			Awarded Contractor(s) may
			authorize dealers to accept
			orders, however invoices
			are to be sent from the
			Contractor and payments
			will be made to the
			Contractor. Any authorized
			dealer the Contractor
			wishes to use must be
			approved by the State as a
		Can a contractor authorize dealers to accept	subcontractor in
0.5	DED Continue 4.4	orders and invoice customers under this	accordance with Pro Forma
25	RFP- Section 4.4.	contract?	Contract Section D.
		The credit reference and credit bureau check	
		seem to apply to small businesses. Could a	The State has added as
	RFP- Section A.4. &	large corporation provide copies of our annual report which contain audited financial	The State has added an additional credit rating
26	A.5.	statements?	option to RFP Section A.5.
	71.0.	If contractors are not allowed to let their	option to REL Oction A.S.
		authorized dealers sell directly to the state, and	
		invoice the state, how can we meet the diversity	Please refer to the answer
27	RFP- Section B.15.	goals?	to question #25.
		Our Company does not track our employees by	Yes, the response will still
		ethnicity or gender so we cannot provide that	be considered responsive
		information. There are no state or federal	by indicating the reason for
		regulations requiring this type of tracking. Will our	not providing the
28	RFP- Section B.15.d.	bid still be considered responsive?	information to this question.
		Will the State give the Contractor written notice	·
		of a performance issue and a reasonable	
	ProForma- Section	opportunity to cure that issue, prior to terminating	Yes, please see revised
29	D.7	for cause?	Section D.7. of ProForma.

	1	Dro forms contract states that the State gate title	Coation F 2 of the
		Pro forma contract states that the State gets title	Section E.3. of the
	ProForma- Section	to the goods provided by the Contractor. Please	ProForma is in regards to
30		confirm that that does not apply to rental	equipment purchased by
30	E.3	equipment.	the Authorized User.
			Any additional language
			required (for example, for
			third party software), must
			be submitted with the
			proposal to be included
			with evaluation. No
			extraneous terms and
		Certain options/accessories (particularly,	conditions may be
		software solutions) can have specific terms that	submitted after Contract
		apply to them, and that only generate when	award. Please refer to
	ProForma- Section E.	those options are ordered. How is that to be	Section E.5 Software
24		handled, given the restriction of subsection E.7 of	License Warranty of the
31	7	the pro forma contract?	ProForma.
			The warranty for all
		Is the State expecting to have a 5-year warranty	equipment purchased by the Authorized User shall
		(subsection A.12 of the pro forma contract)	be for a term no less than
		included in the price of purchased equipment, or	60 months. The warranty is
	ProForma- Section	is that warranty intended to be covered through a	to be covered through the
32	A.12	maintenance agreement?	maintenance agreement.
52	73.14	mamonanoc agrociment:	The State is unwilling to
	ProForma- Section	Will the State modify 70PPM requirement (B&W	make your requested
33	A.2.a.2.	Segment 5) to 60PPM?	change at this time.
			The State does not have
			specific guidelines at the
			device level. The State will
			also note that multi-
			function devices are
			defined by Section 508 of
			the Rehabilitation Act to be
			of Closed Functionality
			(i.e., [devices that have]
			characteristics that limit
			functionality or prevent a
			user from attaching or
			installing assistive
			technology). As Closed
			devices, they fall under the
			guidelines of Chapter 4,
			Hardware, Section 402
			which states: "Information
			and Communication
			Technology (ICT) with
			closed functionality shall be
			operable without requiring the user to attach or install
			assistive technology other
			than personal headsets or
			other audio couplers, and shall conform to 402." For
			more information, please
	ProForma- Section	Can the State clarify what is required by Section	visit https://www.access-
34	A.2.a.1.	508 compliancy at the device level?	board.gov/guidelines-and-
J <del>1</del>	/ \. Z. U. 1.	1 000 compliancy at the device level:	board.gov/guideiiries-arid-

35	ProForma- Section A.4.	Will the State provide the contractor agency	standards/communications- and-it/about-the-ict- refresh/final-rule/text-of- the-standards-and- guidelines#401-general. Yes, agency contact information will be provided
35			refresh/final-rule/text-of- the-standards-and- guidelines#401-general. Yes, agency contact information will be provided
35			the-standards-and- guidelines#401-general. Yes, agency contact information will be provided
35			guidelines#401-general.  Yes, agency contact information will be provided
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35			to the converse of Contractor
35			to the awarded Contractor
35	A.4.	contact information for offering the initial	for Category I-
		assessment?	Multifunction Devices.
			The State requires
			Respondents to propose
			equipment that has the
			capacity to handle paper
			sizes for A3 and A4
	D. F	Which segments are required as A3 devices (11	devices. The term A3/A4
00	ProForma- Section	x 17) ? Which of these are required as A4	has been changed to "A3
36	A.2.a.	devices?	and A4 Capacity MFD"
		Title and the least the AG AA	Please refer to the answer
	D. F	This section implies either A3 or A4 devices can	to question #36 for color
	ProForma- Section	be proposed/bid on any color or black and white	and black and white
37	A.2.a.1.	category. Can you confirm?	devices.
		The state is requiring Automatic Reversing	
		Document Feeder as a standard feature. Most	
		manufacturers have moved away from this	
		standard to a "Single Pass Duplex Scanning	
		Automatic Document Feeder". Automatic	
		Reversing Document Feeders must feed the	T. O
		sheet through, then flip the page, then feed it	The State has accepted
		back through in reverse. This is twice as slow as	the request to change the
		Single Pass Duplex Scanning and more prone to	Standard requirement from
	5 5 6 11	jam. Will the state change this requirement to	"Automatic Reversing
	ProForma- Section	simply read: "Automatic Document	Document" to "Automatic
38	A.2.a.2.j	Feeder"? This will allow either technologies.	Document Feeder".
		3-Hole Punch and Staple Finisher options are	
		intended for high-volume category	
		devices. Making this an optional requirement on	
			this requirement at this
39	A.2.a.3.		time.
		Will the state accept proposals that include a	
	ProForma- Section	next business day repair service strategy for	this requirement at this
40	A.7.a.	agency locations with redundant devices?	time.
39	ProForma- Section A.2.a.3.  ProForma- Section	next business day repair service strategy for	time. The State will not amend

Will the State please clarify that the Required Options are only to be available and priced	l
separately if not standard? For instance, if a	
departmental analysis determines features such	
as staple, fax, hole punch are not needed on	
some machines but are included at another Yes, the required option	tions
nearby device when needed, excluding those are only to be priced	
ProForma- Section   features would be one way to reduce costs in the   separately if it is not	
41 A.2.a.3. new contract. standard for the equi	pment.
Will the State please clarify the Section 508 and	
ProForma- Section required options specifications for the Category II Please refer to the air	nswer
42 A.2.a.2.o. Scanners? to question #34.	
The State has remove	
requirement for RAM	
upgrades / expandat	
a Required Option. T Will the State please define the minimum RAM is now a minimum R.	
Will the State please define the minimum RAM is now a minimum RA requirements? There is currently a requirement requirement for each	
for RAM upgrades. Some of our models do not machine segment in	
offer RAM expansion but already come with 4 to Category I and Category	
8 GB RAM. Our experience with customers is The State has also re	
that even 2 GB proven to be more than sufficient Attachments 6.3 Co	
ProForma- Section to handle the jobs processed through the Proposal and 6.6	
43 A.2.a.3.I machine. ProForma Contract.	
In order to fulfill the requirements in Section A.4. Yes, the State will pr	
will the State be providing the cost information reporting information	
ProForma- Section   from the current vendor so that A.4.2 Items 2 and   the current Contractor	
44 A.4.2 4 can be calculated and presented to the State? the awarded Contract	ctor.
Is it correct that the new vendor's reporting	
requirements listed in Section A.6. are to include	
ProForma- Section only devices placed under the new contract and	
45 A.6. not those that remain with the current vendor? Yes, this is correct.  Does the \$17,028,643 estimated financial liability	
include only State agencies, or does it also The estimated liability	v ie
ProForma- Section Include non-State organizations that utilize the Inclusive of State age	
46 C.1. contract? include non-state organizations that diffize the inclusive of state ago	5.10103
Any equipment, supp	olies.
and services to be	/
furnished under this	
Contract shall be ord	lered
by issuance of a Pure	chase
Order document or	
Purchase Order num	
The Purchase Order	
If a vendor proposes the same Canon brand that indicate the machine	
is currently in place, how will the State assist options to be purcha-	
both vendors to ensure that any toner or other rented and shall included in ProForma- Section supplies such as staples are used only in each the details outlined in	
47 A.7.b.1. other's respective machines? subsections i. through	III V.

			The awarded Contractor(s)
			must deliver all equipment
			within thirty (30) days of
			Purchase Order issue. In
			the event the Contractor(s)
			fails to meet the requested
			delivery date, the
			Authorized User may
			cancel such order at that
			time, provided equipment
		If the term of any given machines rental	has not been shipped from
		agreement is completed, will the new vendor be	the Contractor(s)'s
		held responsible for a loss of productivity if a	warehouse. Please refer to
	ProForma- Section A.	replacement machine was removed before the	ProForma Sections A.7.b.2
48	7.b.2. & A.7.c.	new vendor installs a replacement machine?	and A.7.
70	7.b.2. & A.7.0.	If a just in time delivery method of toner	and A.F.
		replacement is offered and effective, will the	
		State remove the requirement to leave an extra	No, the State requires
		toner cartridge for every device? For instance, if	there be a back-up toner
		three identical machines are placed in a	cartridge left with the
	ProForma- Section	department, will one back up toner at a	Authorized User for each
49	A.7.d.3.	centralized location of be acceptable?	machine.
		communication of bo acceptable:	No, any equipment that
			requires three (3) or more
			service calls within a thirty
		Is it correct that the three or more service call	(30) day rolling time period
		condition under the Maintenance Item 8	is defined as non-
	ProForma- Section	requirement is defined as three or more visits for	performing (defective)
50	A.7.e.8.	the same issue within the rolling 30 day period?	equipment.
		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	All Authorized Users with
			rental agreements under
			the SWC fall under the
			terms and conditions of the
			contract. The State cannot
		Will the State please clarify if the rental	speak on behalf of non-
		agreements with non-State agencies, schools,	State Authorized Users as
		etc. are cancellable for convenience if it is in their	it is unaware of their
	ProForma- Section	best interest to do so and move the new model of	internal procurement
51	D.6.	only paying for copies that are used?	processes.
		Regarding the 1% fee listed in Section C.10 will	a. The 1% administrative
		the State please clarify	fee is to be
		a. Is the fee assessed for equipment payments?	assessed on the cost of all
		The variable volumes of copies used will make it	goods and/or services
		very difficult to accurately bill service 'click'	purchased under this
		payments, and other random billable fees such	Contract.
		as consulting, specific software solutions?	b. Please see response to
		b. If the 1% fee is assessed for more than the	A. above.
		equipment payments or purchases, will the State	c. The fee is due to the
		please reconsider and assess the fee to only	State no later than forty-
		equipment payments?	five (45) days after the end
		c. Will the quarterly payments be due each	of the
		quarter for the equipment placed by the new	specified reporting period
		vendor and grow as more machines are added? d. Is it correct that the State does not require the	for all goods and/or services purchased under
		vendor to pay a 1% fee back to the State when a	this Contract during the
	ProForma- Section	non-State government office, school, or non-	quarter.
52	C.10.	profit uses this contract pricing and terms?	d. The 1% administrative
52	0.10.	Pront uses this contract pricing and terms?	u. THE 1/0 autilitiolialive

		e. Is the 1% fee due for all amounts billed or only for the amounts received from accounts billed?	fee is for all goods and/or services purchased under this Contract by all
			Authorized Users. e. The administrative fee is for amounts billed.
		If the Ctate was a D Cord are there are to a	The State of Tennessee's
	ProForma- Section	If the State uses a P-Card, are there any fees associated with it that the vendor will be required	bank may charge fees up to 4% of the total purchase
53	C.9.	to absorb or rebate back to the State?	cost.
			The State will provide the
		Will the State please provide a sample report that	awarded Contractor(s) with
54	ProForma- Section A.6.	encompasses the information expected and the required or desired format?	a Microsoft Excel template to complete.
34	A.0.	It is assumed that the vendor is only responsible	The Contractor is
		for gathering and reporting devices that are	responsible for gathering
55	ProForma- Section	connected to the network, is that correct?	data on all of its equipment.
			The term of the contract(s)
			is 36 months with up to seven (7) twelve (12)
			month renewal options and
			the awarded contract(s) is
			compensation firm. This
		The Rental terms are slightly unclear. The term of the contract is stated to be 36 months with up	means that the pricing provided in a Respondent's
		to two 12 month extensions. However, all of the	Cost Proposal will not
	ProForma- Section	pricing is required to be given in 60 month terms.	change during the term of
56	C.1. & C.2.	Will the State please clarify the difference?	the contract.
		Will the State provide an awarded vendor with	Yes, agency contact
		contact information for each agency and authorized user in order to comply with the	information will be provided to the awarded Contractor
	ProForma- Section	requirement for offering an initial assessment as	for Category I-
57	A.4.	required by section A.4.?	Multifunction Devices.
			From time to time a State
		Diagon describe the circumstances that may	agency may move or
		Please describe the circumstances that may have led to early termination of rental equipment	consolidate its office space reducing the need for the
	ProForma- Section	placements during the term of the current	number of machines it
58	D.6.	contract.	initially rented.
	DroFormo Castion	Item A.2.a States Category I MFDs (A3/A4) Are	Diagon refer to the anguer
59	ProForma- Section A.2.	you requesting A3 units in each category or will you allow A4 units?	Please refer to the answer to question #36.
		Full rental flexibility for the entire fleet carries a	44004011 11001
		significant price uplift. Is the State willing to limit	
		its use of the rental cancel flexibility in order to	No of this time the Oteta
	Proforma Subsection	get a more favorable price (e.g., cap it at 10% of fleet for cancel for convenience with no early	No, at this time, the State will not limit its use of the
60	D. 5.	termination charges)?	rental cancel flexibility.
		The RFP States "If the State Agency misjudges	,
		the need for a machine, it will not be allowed to	Ta data the color of
		return such machine and cancel its rental without	To date, there have been
		prior approval of the State." How many devices were returned by the State during the current	139 rental agreements terminated prior to the end
		contract? How many devices were returned by	of the contract term. 42 of
	Proforma- Subsection	the State during the last 12 months? If you don't	those have occurred in the
61	D. 5.	have an exact count, please provide an estimate.	last 12 months.

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62	ProForma- Section A.2.	On the Cost Proposal 6.3 the State asks the" Respondent to provide at least one new qualifying machine for each segment". Also, in the Proforma the State describes under section A2. "All machines procured under this Contract shall be new and unused." - Please explain what the state considers to be the definition of new equipment.	New equipment shall be defined as equipment not previously used with all of the original parts installed by the manufacturer.
63	ProForma- A.2.a.3.k.	Please clarify K "Automatic Refill of Toner Cartridges."	This is a required option for MFDs that automatically orders new toner cartridges for Authorized Users when more toner is needed, ensuring no downtime due to insufficient toner.
64	ProForma- A.2.b.3.e.	Please clarify, "Plastic Card Scanning."	This means scanning of plastic cards such as IDs.
65	ProForma- A.4.1.	Assessment recommendations are to justify "swapping current owned equipment." When approaching a department they may very likely have machines from current contract (39769) which are to have a term of five years from date of installation. These machines that still have term will be protected per the terms of 400 #39769, correct?	Yes, machines covered by the current contract are covered under the contract's Terms and Conditions. Authorized Users will have the option to complete their 60 month term with the current Supplier or cancel the current rental and switch to the new contract awarded as a result of this solicitation.
66	ProForma- A.6.c.	Will the State please clarify with examples of what types of "custom reports" that they may request?	Please refer to the answer to question #11.
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67	ProForma- A.7.d.	Please add "except for paper" to this.	A.7.d.2.
68	ProForma- A.7.e.6.	If user becomes dissatisfied with a technician, can Contractor first have the opportunity to intervene and mediate the situation first?	The following language has been added to ProForma A.7.e.6.: after the Contractor(s) have been given an opportunity to remedy the issue the Authorized User had with the technician dispatched to their location.
69	ProForma- A.10.2.	Equipment Substitution: Point #2 indicates that Contractor can increase cost of substituted equipment by up to 10%. Is that a correct understanding?	Yes, as long as the increase is justified and processed in accordance with the Terms and Conditions of the Contract.
- 55	1 101 011110 71.10.2.	Effective date stated as "December 4, 2018	
70	ProForma- B.1.	when RFP Schedule of Events states that Contract signature deadline is Jan. 30, 2019.	The State has revised the Term of Contract dates.

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		Administrative Fee: Is the State concerned that	The State believes the
		this 1% Admin Fee will simply raise the overall	incorporation of this admin
		cost of goods and services to the agencies in the	fee is in its best financial
71	ProForma- C.10.	Contractors attempts to offset the impact?	interest of the State.
			While there is no standard
			"Progress Report,"
			generally progress reports
			are brief, periodic updates
			that may be requested by
			the State. This is a
			standard contract term that
			reserves the right for the
			State to request
			summaries, status updates,
			or additional information
			from the Contractor and is
			typically related to a
			specific situation needing
		Can the State please clarify what it means by	resolution or particular
72	ProForma- D.15.	"Progress Reports?"	topic of concern or interest.
			Using the example
			provided, the equipment
			rented in month 24 of the
			contract may enter into a
			36 month rental agreement
			and extend up to 60
			months if all renewal
		To verifyeach procured unit stays in for 36	options are executed.
		months from its installation date regardless of	However, the Authorized
		year procured. So a unit procured in month 24 of	User will have the option to
		the contract would stay installed for 36 months	complete the rental
		extending this contract terms and conditions for a	agreement or terminate the
		total of 60 months. Is that an accurate	rental agreement for
73	ProForma- Section B	interpretation of the state's intention?	convenience.
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		Would the State consider the following changes?	
		Contractor(s) shall maintain insurance coverage	
		as specified in this Section. The State reserves	
		the right to amend or require additional insurance	
		coverage, coverage amounts, and endorsements	
		required under this Contract, with the approval of	
		Contractor, which shall not be unreasonably	
		withheld.	
		Contractor(s)'s failure to maintain or submit	
		evidence of insurance coverage, as required,	
		after 20 business days advance written notice	
		from the State and Contractor's failure to cure	
		same, is a material breach of this Contract.	
		All insurance companies providing coverage	
		must be: (a) reasonably acceptable to the State;	
		(b) authorized by the Tennessee Department of	
		Commerce and Insurance ("TDCI"); and (c) rated	
		A- / VII or better by A.M. Best. All coverage	
		(except worker's compensation) must be on a	
		primary basis and noncontributory with any other	
		insurance or self-insurance carried by the State.	
		[CSA can provide umbrella insurance for	
		General, Employer and Auto Liability with limits	
		of \$5,000,000 which follows the form of the	
		underlying policies.]	
		Contractor(s) shall provide the COI ten (10)	
		business days prior to the Effective Date and	
		again before renewal or replacement of	
		coverage. [Depending on circumstances,	
		sometimes policies are bound less than 30 days prior to renewal or replacement]	
		phor to renewal or replacement	The State did not accept all
		The parties agree that failure to provide evidence	suggested changes.
		of insurance coverage as required, after 20	Please see accepted
		business days advance written notice from the	changes in the revised
	ProForma- Section	State and Contractor's failure to cure same, is a	Section D.34Insurance in
74	D.34.	material breach of this Contract.	ProForma.
	2.5 !!		The consulting services will
			be used to assist
			Authorized Users in
			developing workflow
		Can the state please provide more detail on what	solutions that will integrate
	ProForma- Section	will be required for consulting services so that we	with the Authorized User's
75	A.3.	better understand this role?	fleet.
			No, Contractor(s) are only
			to service the machines it
	ProForma- Section	Is the state expecting the awarded vendor to	furnishes under its
76	A.7.	service other manufacturer's machines?	contract.
			Authorized Users will track
			response time per Section
			A.7.a. on a spreadsheet
			that tracks and inputs the
			time from when the call is
			made to the Contractor(s)'s
			dispatch department until
	ProForma- Section	How does the state plan to track the SLA for the	the time the technician
77	A.7.a.	4 hour response time?	arrives at the individual

			location.
78	ProForma- Section A.7.d.	Would use of non OEM supplies be allowable?	Non Original Equipment Manufacturer ("OEM") supplies are not allowed under this contract as the State requires that all equipment be new and unused.
			The State has removed the requirement for awarded Contractors to participate in the TN SmartShop as it is not a good fit for every Supplier. Should the Supplier have an emarketplace (a retail website), or a catalog of
79	ProForma- Section A.8.	Can the state provide more detail on the participation requirement for Contractor's in the TN SmartShop initiative? Also, can you please provide what information is on this site concerning a vendor, and who is responsible for providing this information?	items that can be hosted as an Excel spreadsheet, TN SmartShop may be a great way to increase sales and leverage spend for local government.
00	ProForma- Section	If the state no longer requires the use of a machine, can the machine be placed in another	Yes, if an agency no longer has use for equipment and the Contractor has received a request for the equipment from another agency, upon approval from both agencies, the Contractor may move the equipment to the requesting agency's
80	D.5.	agency within the State of TN?  Cancellation for convenience will prevent	location.
81	ProForma- Section D.6.	vendors from taking sales treatment which in turn allows the vendor to provide the State with the best possible pricing.  Will the state give Contractor's the opportunity to	The State is unwilling to make your requested change at this time.
82	ProForma- Section D.7.	"cure" any contract violation before terminating the contract?	Please refer to the answer to question #29.
83	ProForma- Section C.5.b.2.	This section states that invoices shall only be submitted for completed service and shall not include any charge for future work. Can the state provide an explanation on how this would work with maintenance agreements?	In order to properly invoice Authorized Users, the Contractor(s) will calculate all costs associated with rental cost for the month and invoice the following month. Maintenance agreements will be invoiced the following month after service has been rendered.

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		Invoices are traditionally counted as "received"	
		when mailed or emailed to customer. Vendors	
		have no way of knowing when a state receives	The State is unwilling to
	ProForma- Section	and invoice. Please change to when postmarked	make your requested
84	C.5.c	or sent via electronic date.	change at this time.
			The Central Procurement
			Office will provide the
		This section states that the vendor shall not	awarded Contractor(s) with
		include sales tax. Will the state be providing the	the State of Tennessee's
		vendor with tax exempt certificates? Can a	Certificate of Exemption
	ProForma- Section	vendor require an agency to provide the	which will apply to all State
85	C.5.b.3.	certificate upon receipt of the purchase order?	agencies.
			Some examples of
			information required for
			level III data reporting are
			transaction amount, date,
			item description, merchant
			code, invoice number, item
	DroFormo Costion	Can the state places provide what information is	product code, item
06	ProForma- Section	Can the state please provide what information is	description, item quantity,
86	C.9.a.2.	required for level III data reporting?	item unit of measure, etc. The State is unwilling to
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	Will the State relax the 3 hole punch required	make your requested
87	Proposal	option for A4 devices that are bid?	·
01	ι τυρυσαι	טאָנוטו זטו אין עבעוניבט נוומנ מוב טוע!	change at this time. The State has revised
		Can you provide the actual monthly volumes (i.e.	Attachment 6.9
		page counts) or life-time volumes, vs.	Information on Current
		suggested? This is critical information and gives	MFD Fleet to include the
		your incumbent an unfair advantage in	requested information.
		responding to this bid. They are making informed	This information was not
	Attachment 6.9	decisions whereas everyone else is having to	generated by the State and
	Information on Current	guess. Capturing page counts is a rudimentary	therefore the State is not
88	Fleet	function that can be easily accomplished.	able to certify its accuracy.
		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Respondents may only bid
			one model per segment.
			The language in the Cost
			Proposal instruction has
			been changed to read: The
			State of Tennessee
		The Cost Proposal instructions state that at least	requires that each
		one model must be provided per Category. This	Respondent provide one
		implies that more than one model is acceptable.	new, qualifying machine for
		Where should the responding vendors place the	each segment (both rental
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	information for additional models in any given	and purchase) in the Cost
89	Proposal	category?	Proposal.
			Respondents must bid on
			all machines within a
			particular category. Per the
			instructions in Attachment
			6.3, "There are two
			categories: 1. Multi-
			Function Devices (A3 and
		The Cost Prenend instructions are to be if	A4 Capacity MFD) and 2.
		The Cost Proposal instructions seem to indicate	Scanners. Each category
	Attack mant C.O. Ozat	that it is not permissible to 'no bid' any	will be scored individually
00	Attachment 6.3 Cost	Categories and still be considered responsive? Is	and awarded separately.
90	Proposal	that correct?	Respondents are required

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			to respond to at least one
			category, but may respond
			to both."
		Will the State please clarify if the software add-	
		on is to be available but not included in the base	
		machine pricing? The inclusion of a separate	The software is not to be
1	Attachment 6.3 Cost	pricing grid on the Cost Summary tab seem to	included in the base
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91	Proposal	indicate so.	machine pricing.
		Will the State please consider all of the	
		"Required Options" "Available Options at	
		additional Price" and moving any specific items	
		such as staple and hole punch up to the	
		Minimum Specifications section for the faster	The State will not amend
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	models that are more likely to be needed for	this requirement at this
92			·
92	Proposal	workflow requirements?	time.
			Per Attachment 6.3, tab B,
			Respondents must,
			"propose a model for each
			segment listed below.
			Ensure that the proposed
			model meets or exceeds
			the minimum
			specifications. Failure to
			meet any minimum
			specifications from this
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	Will a response of N in any given Segment	worksheet may result in
93	Proposal	Minimum Specs result in a non-responsive offer?	rejection of your proposal."
30	Пороза	William and Opeds result in a near responsive oner:	Yes, all machines in a
		Will a recognize of "Net Aveilable" in any of the	
		Will a response of "Not Available" in any of the	Respondent's proposal
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	Required Options result in in a non-responsive	must have the required
94	Proposal	offer?	options available.
			Respondents should
			answer "Yes" to options
		If one of the required options is standard, may	available with the proposed
		the vendor type in "included"? Doing so does not	
	Attachment C.O. O.o.		machine regardless of if it
o-	Attachment 6.3 Cost	seem to invalidate the formulae pulling totals into	comes as a standard
95	Proposal	the Cost Summary.	feature.
			Consulting Services are to
			only be entered under tab
			E. Software, in the Cost
			Proposal and not included
		Are the Conculting Services in A.2, to be	
	Attachment C2 Cs-t	Are the Consulting Services in A.3. to be	in the rental and purchase
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	included in the pricing of both rental and	cost of the machines in the
96	Proposal	purchased machines?	Cost Proposal.
			Yes, the "List Price" is the
		We think we understand that the "List Price" for	cost the Respondent would
		MFD Purchase means the retail price or some	charge commercially and
		other catalog price and the Purchase Price is the	the "Purchase Price" is the
	Attachment 6.3 Cost		cost extended to
97	Proposal	price the vendor is extending to the State. Is that correct?	Authorized Users.
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		Regarding MFD Rentals		
		put in the List Price cells		
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	clarify what vendors are	required to place in	Please refer to the answer
98	Proposal	those cells?		to question #97.
		We do not quite understa		
		Accessory Pricing for the	e MFD Rental tab. Is it	
		correct that the below me	odel is accurate?	
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		List Price	Rental Price	
		\$	Monthly fee based	
		Retail Cash Price? -	upon 60 month term?	
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				Minimum Accessory
		Black &	White I	Pricing is an area to be
		Black G	VVIIICE I	filled in in the case where a
		Required Accessory	Rental Price	Respondent's base level
				machine does not already
		Staple Finisher	Monthly PMT	come with all minimum
		Fax Board	Monthly PMT	specifications as standard.
		Additional Output	Monthly PMT	For example, if your
		Tray	, ,	proposed B&W I machine
		HID Card Scanner	Monthly PMT	does not come standard
		Tracking Software	Monthly PMT	with "Email Address lookup
			,	to Active Directory" (which
		PostScript	Monthly PMT	is a minimum
		OCR	Monthly PMT	specification), you would
		Data Encryption	Monthly PMT	list that and its price in the
		3 Hole Punch	Monthly PMT	"Minimum Accessory
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	Automatic refill of	Monthly PMT	Pricing" section of tabs C1
99	Proposal	toner	IVIOITITITY I IVII	and C2 in Attachment 6.3.
33	ι τυρυσαί	There are two more line	itams under Segment	and 02 in Attachment 0.3.
		Minimum Specs that do		The State has added
		include all from Section		additional lines to the tabs
		Required Options might		in the Cost Proposal to
	A44	the Software Tab pricing		reflect the Segment
400	Attachment 6.3 Cost	consider expanding lines	s to the Required	Minimum Specifications in
100	Proposal	Option?		ProForma A.2.
		The scoring sheet seems		
		amounts listed under red		
		multiplying it by the total	number of projected	
		machines in order to arri	ve at a Segment Total.	
		We are unclear why the	•	
		optional items on all mad		
		required by all departme		The State has confirmed
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	calculating them into a to		that the formulas are
I		please clarify the scoring		
101	Proposal	I DIESCE CISTITY THE CONTING	i methodology/	correct.

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102	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Will the State please consider creating separate pricing grids for the Custom Workflow and Consulting Services on Tab E to allow a Vendors to bid different prices for Scanners and MFD's? They are not necessarily the same.	The State has accepted the request to separate the pricing for the Custom Workflow and Consulting Services for MFDs and Scanners.
103	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	The Custom Workflow prices on Tab A do not pull in the prices entered in Tab E. Will the State please review the formula(s) for that grid?	The figures from tab E are represented in tab A in columns K-M in Category I (MFDs) and in columns G-L in Category II (Scanners).
104	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	The State may wish to note that the Cells on Tab A are not locked and might be unintentionally overwritten instead of pulling data in from the other pricing tabs.	The State has locked the cells on Tab A and has reissued Attachment 6.3. Cost Proposal with all of the changes resulting from the Question and Answer period.
105	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Please clarify if the State is requesting a single equipment model for each segment or if a vendor may offer more than one equipment model for each segment.	Respondents may only bid one model per segment.
106	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Balancing the States total cost of ownership reduction request and the fact that the State's current environment has approximately 95% A3 (11X17 capable devices) today, how should all vendors identify whether or not the State intends for us to respond with an A4 (max paper size 8 ½ X 14 only) versus A3 (max paper size 11X17) capable devices for each segment?	Please refer to the answer to question #36.
107	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	In Cat 1 the volume is such that typically doesn't require 3-hole punch which adds additional and unnecessary cost, please confirm this is a requirement for the state for Cat 1.	Please refer to the answer to question #39.
108	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	In Cat 1 the volume is such that typically doesn't require stapling which adds additional and unnecessary cost, please confirm this is a requirement for the state for Cat. 1.	Please refer to the answer to question #39.
109	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	The industry is moving temporary storage in printers and MFPs on to eMMC and Solid-State Drives. All this storage is encrypted. The State has a requirement for traditional hard disk drives. Considering the State has some of these type devices installed currently per Attachment 6.9, can this requirement be relaxed for the lower speed devices?	Please see the updated minimum requirements in the ProForma and Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal concerning this question. The State is now accepting Hard Disk Drives, eMMC, or Solid State Drives.
110	Attachment 6.10 Workflow Description	Please define the data base platform you are using to organize and integrate the scan documents outlined in the Workflow Description.	One platform the State is currently using for this purpose is Box.com. However, Attachment 6.10 is an example workflow scenario. Please respond to Question C1.16 and C1.17 and/or C2.15 and C2.16 in a way that addresses the key points

			and state any assumptions that you have built into your response to the workflow solution. Please also see the updated questions (C1.16 and C2.15) in RFP Attachment 6.2.
111	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	There are no Segment volume bands listed that indicate where the State expects the users to operate within. Can that please be clarified and will the State hold the users to some type of minimum usage given the "cost-per-copy" nature of this RFP?	The State will not commit to any minimum usage levels at this time.
	Attachment 6.3 Cost	Minimum Requirements vs. Required Options: In both the Attachment C and the Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal there are fields for pricing the basic rental or purchase of the machine as defined in sect A.2.2 of the ProForma. Then, beneath that pricing field is a request for "Minimum Accessory Pricing." When adding cost to those fields the cost of the basic rental is increased. Question: Do you mean to say that you want the Accessory pricing here to actually be the "Required Options" as described in	Please refer to the
112	Proposal	ProForma A.2.3?	response to question #99.
113	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	There is only one cost entry that can be entered to represent each Manufacturer's model per segment. In the Pro Forma under A. Scope A.2 Category 1 – MFD's the option is both A3 and A4 models. Can the state provide the minimum and maximum output sizes and input sizes for each segment?	Please refer to the answer to question #36.
114	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Can we add our own attachment for additional software solutions? There are not enough lines available on the protected sheet.	No, the State has increased the number of lines to the Software tab.
115	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Can the state elaborate as to what proprietary applications and databases are in place in which departments?	Proprietary applications and databases are not utilized on the State's current contract. The State will provide the requested information to the awarded Contractor.
116	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	How many of these applications are in place and in scope for this RFP?	Please refer to the answer to question #115.
117	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Are any applications referenced COTS (Commercial off the Shelf) or are all proprietary?	Please refer to the answer to question #115.
118	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	If there are COTS applications in place, please advise the software name and version installed.	Please refer to the answer to question #115.
119	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	What database platforms are utilized for these applications?	Please refer to the answer to question #115.
120	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Are all the databases ODBC compliant, e.g. SQL, Oracle, etc?	Please refer to the answer to question #115.

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121	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	For metadata, would cover pages with barcoding or zonal OCR (or both) be preferred?	Please refer to the answer to question #115.
122	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Would the state consider touch panel integration with validation to the existing databases for metadata fields as well?	Please refer to the answer to question #115.
123	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	Do these applications integrate with an accompanied XML file with the scan from a specific network watch folder?	Please refer to the answer to question #115.
			The State does not currently have an enterprise-wide document management software system under contract. Some agencies currently have the follow me print and card authentication on their equipment, but this is
124	Attachment 6.3 Cost Proposal	What document management software systems are in use today?	not uniform among all agencies.
124	гюроѕаі	Does the State require all new devices to be compatible with current Uniflow print	The State requires that all new devices have the capability to utilize a print
125	General	management solution?	management solution.
400		Will awarded vendor be responsible for managing existing fleet as well as the devices	No, the Contractor(s) awarded as a result of this RFP is only responsible for servicing and maintaining its equipment and not the equipment belonging to the
126	General	placed under this contract?	incumbent.  The following 22 State agencies are currently utilizing the SWC: Transportation, Correction, Children Service's, Environment and Conservation, Health, Human Services, Commerce and Insurance, Education, Agriculture, TennCare, Veterans Services, Military, Children Services, Treasury, Safety and Homeland Security, Financial Institutions, Tourist Development, Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities, Finance & Administration, General Services, Labor & Workforce Development,
127	General	How many and which agencies are now under the current contract?	and Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.

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			The agreements are for
			each machine, not for each
			agency as a whole. Each
			State agency has multiple
			machines at multiple
			locations. These rental
			agreements were not
			necessarily entered into
			with the Contractor on the
			same date. Respondents
			may refer to the "install
			date" column on
			Attachment 6.9
			Information on Current
			Fleet, to calculate the
			approximate expiration
1		What is the remaining term - by agency - for	date for the existing
128	General	those currently under contract?	machines.
			The statement made during
			the Pre-Proposal
			conference was that the
			current rental terms for
			Authorized Users was 60
			months. Authorized Users
			will have the option to
			complete their 60 month
		During the pre-bid meeting, it was stated that the	term with the current
		current leases will remain in effect until the	Supplier or cancel the
		completion of a full 60 Month term regardless of	current rental and switch to
		when the lease was signed. Cannot the State	the new contract awarded
		issue its right to cancellation for cause as listed	as a result of this
129	General	on Page 13, Item D.3 of the Current contract?	solicitation.
120	Contrai	on ago 10, nom 2.0 or the current contract.	Awarded Contractor(s) will
			be given a Purchase Order
			for equipment rented under
			this Contract. The State
			will deal directly with the
		During the pro hid meeting it was stated that no	
		During the pre-bid meeting it was stated that no	awarded Contractor(s) of
		State department or agency will be required to	the equipment rented to
		participate in an assessment and	get any and all necessary
		recommendation to potentially streamline its	reports and to resolve any
		equipment. If a department decides to forgo the	issues that may arise.
		assessment and keeps the current vendor's	Awarded Contractors are
		equipment in place how will the State reconcile	not responsible for any
400	0	reporting, software issues, and other potential	issues with current
130	General	conflicts or confusion?	equipment.
			No, Authorized Users will
			have the option to
		If a department engages the new vendor to	complete their 60 month
		perform an assessment, and the new vendor's	term with the current
		recommendation is accepted and agreed to that	Supplier or exercise its
		all of the current vendor's equipment should be	options to terminate the
		removed and replaced, is it correct that the	rental charges and switch
131	General	cancellation for cause will be executed?	to the new contract.

132	General	Is it correct that the State will provide specific key personnel contact information and floor plans showing current equipment locations, workstations, and other information to the vendor before assessments begin?  The Cost Proposal instructions state that at least	The State will provide key personnel contact information to the awarded Contractor. The Contractor will be responsible for assessing the agencies' locations and identifying where the current MFDs are located in order to make a recommendation.
133	General	one new qualifying machine must be listed for each category. If a manufacturer's equipment models do not encompass all speed ratings, is it acceptable to propose more than one manufacturer brand as long as there is not more than one machine proposed per any given category? For instance the responding vendor proposes Brand X for all categories except for Black & White V, and uses another manufacturer's product for the Category V entry.	Yes, multiple manufacturers may be included on a Respondent's proposal, but there cannot be more than one machine per segment.
		Regarding the Section I MFD specifications, will the State please clarify those listed as Standard? a. Is it correct that the B&W I, B&W II, Color I, and Color II devices are A4? If yes, are A4 devices acceptable for any other Categories as long as they meet all other specified or amended requirements? b. Will the State accept the proposal of a device that is closest to the page speed but may not meet or exceed it? For example, if a vendor must propose a model that significantly exceeds the ppm requirement such as 10 pages, will it be acceptable to offer the next fastest machine which may fall short of the minimum by 5 ppm? c. Will the State please clarify and expand upon which Section 508 subsections are required to be included in the pricing and which must be available as an added feature or accessory? For instance is it correct that accommodating accessories such as braille readers may not be required for all departments and thus available	a. Please refer to the answer to question #36. b. Per Attachment 6.3, tab B, Respondents must, "propose a model for each segment listed below. Ensure that the proposed model meets or exceeds the minimum specifications. Failure to meet any minimum specifications from this worksheet may result in rejection of your proposal." c. Please refer to the
134	General	as needed as an available option; not standard?  Is the State using only analog fax boards and lines when needed or is there a fax server owned by the State or provided by another vendor? If a fax server is being used, will the State please	answer to question #34.  The State will provide the
135	General	provide the name and if the new models must be compatible and integrated into it?	requested information to the awarded Contractor.

			There may be single
			function printers that have
			been purchased or rented
			by Authorized Users that
			may have maintenance
			contracts. The choice to
			proceed with any existing
			maintenance contract(s) or
			to terminate and switch to
		Are any of the single function printers under	the new contract is at the
		maintenance contracts? If so, is it correct the	complete discretion of the
		contract on those devices will end upon	State agencies and the
		acceptance of the recommendations of the new	terms available under the
136	General	vendor's analysis and proposal for right sizing?	maintenance contracts.
100	Conora	Is it correct that the current vendor is responsible	Yes, the State's current
		for removing all devices placed under the current	Contractor is responsible
137	General	contract?	for removing its machines.
.07	Johnson	- Contract:	a. The State has provided
			sufficient information for
			respondents to separate
		Regarding Attachment 6.9 Information on	this list by State and local
		Current MFD Fleet will the State please	government entities.
		a. Separate the State Agencies from the Local	b. Contract requirements
		Government names?	apply regardless of the
		b. Clarify that the local governments, schools,	Authorized User.
		and other State agency accounts listed are not	c.i. Each machine has its
		part of the departmental analysis, reporting, and	own agreement. However,
		other scope of work requirements specified	_
		throughout the solicitation?	the standard agreement is 60 months.
		c. For the State Agencies, will the State please	c.ii. Please refer to the
		add the following column headings and	
		corresponding information for each machine	updated Attachment 6.9. Average monthly clicks by
		listed:	machine have been added.
		i. Lease Termination Date	This information was not
		ii. Monthly average of actual clicks used per	generated by the State and
		month for up to the last three years (less if not in	therefore the State is not
		place for three years or more)	able to certify its accuracy. c.iii. The State is not able
		iii. Designated additional features or options	
120	Conorol	added beyond the minimum required	to provide that information
138	General	specifications of current contract.	at this time.
		What reporting activers is surrently in the both	The State of Tennessee
400	Conorol	What reporting software is currently in use by the	runs reports on its People
139	General	State?	Soft, Oracle software.
			Agencies are able to
			manually pull the meter
		What if any mater data callection agent is being	reads on most equipment.
		What if any meter data collection agent is being	The current Contractor is
140	Conorol	used by the State as a whole or by individual	also able to provide meter
140	General	departments?	reads on all equipment.
		Does the envisioned migration from the current	The State does not have
444	0	contract to the new one include a consolidation	any single function devices
141	General	of the single function printers in use today?	on its current SWC 400.
		Please provide an estimate of the quantity of	To date, there have been
		rental equipment placements that have	139 rental agreements
,		terminated prior to the end of their scheduled	terminated prior to the end
142	General	term during the current contract.	of the contract term.

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		Please list the electronic document management	
		software applications that would need to be	The State will provide this
		accessible from the operator panel of the	information to the awarded
143	General	equipment for scanning or retrieval.	Contractor.
		How many units/what % of units have been	
		cancelled early (Prior to the entire 60 month term	Please refer to the answer
144	General	of each unit)?	to question #142.
		How does a respondent identify contractual	
		provisions that are required, but are not covered	Please refer to the answer
145	General	in the pro forma contract?	to question #5.
		In the Proforma under section D5. Termination	·
		of Rental Charges. Can the State quantify the	
		number of State Agency devices that were	Please refer to the answer
146	General	terminated early during the last contract term?	to question #142.
	0 0 1 1 0 1 0 1	l	Yes, multiple
			manufacturers may be
		Could the State confirm whether or not if Vendor	included on a
		is able to submit more than one	Respondent's proposal, but
		manufacturer/product line to best suit a particular	there cannot be more than
147	General		one machine per segment.
147	Jeneral	segment?	The State has
			approximately 100 Mac
			users, utilizing a variety of
		A 41 - 14 - 14 - 14 - 14 - 14 - 14 - 14	operating systems. No Mac
		Are there any Mac users within your	Books are supported by the
		environment?	State but there are several
		a. If so, please provide details on how many	Apple devices that would
		there are and also what OS they are operating?	be in the Active Directory.
		b. How do these users authenticate to your	This information will be
		network?	gathered and shared with
148	General	i. Are they in Active Directory?	the awarded Contractor(s).
		With respect to your scanning needs, who would	
		be performing the scanning of your documents	Authorized Users currently
		and how are they doing it today? Please describe	scan their documents using
		the types of documents being scanned and how	MFDs and scanners.
		they are to be named/indexed?	Documents will be scanned
		a. Will the documents be batch scanned or	by batch and as individual
149	General	individual documents?	documents.
			The State is contracted
			with the awarded
			Contractor and not the
			Contractor's authorized
			dealer. The Contractor
		If an awarded Vendor's authorized dealer that	would still be responsible
		services the State's contract is bought out by	for carrying out the terms
		another company, how would this impact the	and conditions set forth in
150	General	State's contract?	the contract.
100	Jonordi	Ciato o contract:	Respondents are allowed
			to list its authorized dealers
			as subcontractors. If
			additional subcontractors
		Are recognized to the first terminal	are to be added or ones
		Are respondents allowed to list its authorized	previously listed are to be
		dealers as subcontractors to service the State?	replaced, the Contractor
		If yes, what should the respondent do if it wants	must notify the State's
		to add or replace the subcontractors it provided	Contract Administrator in
151	General	in its proposal?	writing to receive approval.

			Please refer to answer #25 for more information.
152	RFP- Schedule of Events	Will the state consider providing a second Q&A period to address any questions resulting from answers given in the initial Q&A?	Yes, please refer to the revised Schedule of Events to view Respondent's second opportunity to submit Questions and Comments to the State.
132	Attachment 6.10	It seems that Canon may have helped write the solution specifications. Having said that, to the absolute adherence to the software solution specifications, the only thing that can be submitted is Uniflow. The single platform solution and specifically the "single pane of glass" management system requires a feature of	With regards to the 'single pane of glass' management portal mentioned in Attachment 6.10., the software proposed for the example workflow should include a functionality to 'monitor device usage and provide detailed reports which can be used for auditing purposes to track costs or usage' from a single device. Please also refer to the definition of 'Single Pane of Glass' in section 1.1.1 of the RFP. The State is not seeking a vendor-specific solution. Secondly, Attachment 6.10 is an example workflow scenario. Please respond to Question C1.15 and C1.16. in a way that addresses the key points and state any assumptions that you have built into your response to the workflow. No potential Respondent
153	Workflow Description	Uniflow that will only work with Canon product, and not any other manufacturer.	assisted in drafting the solicitation.

- 3. Delete RFP # 32110-18110, in its entirety, and replace it with RFP # 32110-18110, Release # 2, attached to this amendment. Revisions of the original RFP document are emphasized within the new release. Any sentence or paragraph containing revised or new text is highlighted.
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- 6. Delete RFP # Attachment 6.9.- Information on Current MFD Fleet State and Local, in its entirety, and replace it with Attachment 6.9.- Information on Current MFD Fleet State and Local # 32110-18110, Release # 2, attached to this amendment. Revisions of the original RFP document are emphasized within the new release. Any sentence or paragraph containing revised or new text is highlighted.
- 7. RFP Amendment Effective Date. The revisions set forth herein shall be effective upon release. All other terms and conditions of this RFP not expressly amended herein shall remain in full force and effect.